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SUBJ: BRITISH GRAIN AIRLIFT MALI

U. S. GRAIN AIRLIFT MALI' S NORTHERN REGION (OPERATION
AUTHENTIC ASSISTANCE) WILL TERMINATE ABOUT JULY 13 WHEN CURRENT
FUNDING EXHAUSTED. URGENTLY NEED TO KNOW WHEN AND IF BRITISH C-130 S
WILL

COMMENCE GRAIN AIRLIFT MALI AND WHETHER THEY WILL BE HAULING
GRAIN FROM BAMA KO TO SIXTH REGION. WOULD APPRECIATE IMMEDIATE
REPLY BY COB TODAY IF POSSIBLE IN ORDER ENABLE EMBASSY MAKE
FIRM RECOMMENDATIONS WASHINGTON CONCERNING DURATION US AIRLIFT
MALI. BRITISH AIR FORCE TEAM WHICH MADE FEASIBILITY STUDY MALI
TOLD US THAT GOVERNMENT OF MALI WANTS THEM TO TAKE OVER BAMA KO-
SIXTH REGION AIRLIFT WHEN US AIRLIFT TERMINATES. HOWEVER,
DO BRITISH KNOW THAT MALI CONSIDERING USE OF BRITISH AIRCRAFT
TO FLY GRAIN FROM KAYES RAILHEAD TO NARA AND NIO RO IN FIRST
REPEAT FIRST REGION IF US OR OTHER DONOR COUNTRY WOULD CONTINUE
AIRLIFT TO SIXTH REGION. IF BRITISH PLANNING GRAIN AIRLIFT
MALI WOULD HELP ENORMOUSLY TO KNOW EXACT TIME OF ARRIVAL.
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